

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: O78138

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Appln. No.: 10/697,125

Group Art Unit: Not Assigned

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For:

A DEVICE AND METHOD FOR CONTROLLING NETWORK EQUIPMENT

MANAGEMENT DATA, FOR A COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK MANAGEMENT

SYSTEM

SUBMISSION OF VERIFIED ENGLISH LANGUAGE TRANSLATION

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In view of the application filed on October 31, 2003 without the appropriate executed documents, and since Applicants' attorney has not yet received the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application filed under 37 CFR 1.53(b) - Filing Date Granted," for the above application, Applicants submit herewith a copy of the verified English language translation for the above identified application. Also enclosed please find a Preliminary Amendment.

The undersigned wishes the Office to note that the title of the invention has been properly translated as reflected by the attached, which varies slightly from that originally submitted on October 31, 2003. The Office is requested to adjust their records accordingly.

A check for the statutory fee of \$130.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to

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